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NEW DOG PARK NAMING CONTEST NOW OPEN

Dog Park Anticipated to Open in Coming Months

PLEASANTON, *Calif.* — The City of Pleasanton is pleased to announce a contest to name the new dog park currently under construction near the trailhead of the Marilyn Kane Walking Trail.

The name of the dog park will be one that attracts dog lovers from all over the community and is representative of our community. The new dog off-leash dog park, identified in the 2014 Parks and Recreation Master Plan as an important amenity in Pleasanton, will be roughly 1.5 acres of a fenced dog play area when completed sometime in October, absent unforeseen delays. The fenced area will include a place for small dogs and a separate, larger space for bigger dogs. Both areas will have drinking fountains, shade structures, seating, trees, trash receptacles and dog waste stations. The large dog area will also have some agility structures, including a seesaw, hoops and a jumping stand.

The park has been paid for through existing Capital Improvement Program funds, the City's In-Lieu Park Dedication Reserve Fund and a generous donation from Pleasanton Planning Commissioner, Nancy Allen.

Entries will be accepted through August 31, 2016. All entries must be submitted by mail or in

person on an official entry form, which can be downloaded [here](#) or by visiting www.cityofpleasantonca.gov and look under Latest News.

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